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This is in response to the letter field 11/18/2008 regarding the request to withdraw finality filed 11/3/2008. Applicant states that the request to withdraw finality filed 11/3/2008 was a request to the examiner rather than a petition under 37 CFR 1.181 to the Director.

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